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- I, Paul Masters, hereby certify that:
- 1. I am President of Ernest Communications, Inc. ("Ernest"), a provider of local, long distance, and data communications services.
- 2. I have personal knowledge that Ernest has established the operating procedures described below. In my opinion, these operating procedures are adequate to ensure compliance with Sections 64.2001-64.2009 of the Commission's rules. 47 CFR §§ 64.2001-64.2009.
- 3. Ernest uses customer proprietary network information ("CPNI") for the purposes of providing and billing for communications-related services. Ernest may use or disclose CPNI to protect Ernest's rights or property, protect against fraudulent, abusive, or unlawful use of communications-related services, or respond to compulsory

legal process. Employees who receive CPNI are directed to use it only for the above purposes.

- 4. Ernest does not make CPNI available to sales personnel and does not currently use, or allow its affiliates to use, CPNI in marketing activities.
  - 5. Ernest does not sell, rent, or otherwise disclose CPNI to other entities.
- 6. CPNI maintained by Ernest is secured in password-protected files available only to authorized personnel. Any unauthorized use, sale, or disclosure of CPNI by any employee of Ernest would subject the employee to disciplinary action, up to and including immediate dismissal.

### Respectfully Submitted,

Paul Masters

President

Ernest Communications, Inc.